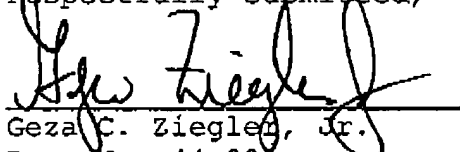


III. REMARKS**Status of the Claims**

Claim 30 is amended. This amended is to correct a minor informality in the claims and does not alter the substance or scope of the claim.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any fees associated with this communication or credit any over payment to Deposit Account No. 16-1350.

Respectfully submitted,


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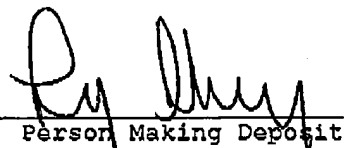
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